

LOCAL RADIO STATIONS DO NOT GIVE UP TO MINUTE REPORTS LIKE XM RADIO DOES. THE LOCAL STATIONS GIVE THEIR REPORTS AT CERTAIN TIMES, XM RADIO GIVES THIER REPORTS ABOUT EVERY 5 MINUTES. XM HAD A REPORT ABOUT I-75 BEING SHUT DOWN BEFORE LOCAL STATIONS. I AVOIDED IT LONG BEFORE I GOT TO IT.WE PAY FOR THE SERVICE ON XM SO WE KNOW WHERE THE TROUBLE SPOTS ARE BEFORE WE GET THERE. WE CAN GET THE REPORTS OF THE MAJOR CITIES ANY PLACE IN THE STATES. ON LOCAL STATIONS WE HAVE TO BE IN THE AREA TO GET THE REPORTS AND BY THEN IT IS TO LATE TO AVOID THE TROUBLED AREAS. MANY TIMES WE DO NOT KNOW WHAT LOCAL STATIONS HAVE THE ROAD REPORTS. XM GIVES US A LIST OF THE STATIONS WHERE I HAVE NOT SEEN A DETAILED LIST OF RADIO STATIONS IN THE U S.

I AM VERY HAPPY WITH THE XM PROGRAMING AND IF THE LOCAL STATIONS WOULD DO MORE WITH THEIR PROGAMS I WOULD NOT COMPLAIN.

LOCAL STATIONS GET THEIR REVENUE FROM ADVERTISING WHERE XM DOES NOT SO THEY HAVE TO KEEP THEIR LOCAL BUSINESSES GOING.